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Rahway, N. J. 07065THIS IS A COMMUNICATION FROM THE EXAMINER
IN CHARGE OF YOUR APPLICATION.COMMISSIONER OF
PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS☒ This application has been examined.☐ Responsive to communication filed on _____.☐ This action is made final.A SHORTENED STATUTORY PERIOD FOR RESPONSE TO THIS ACTION IS SET TO EXPIRE 3 MONTH(S)
_____ DAYS FROM THE DATE OF THIS LETTER.FAILURE TO RESPOND WITHIN THE PERIOD FOR RESPONSE WILL CAUSE THE APPLICATION TO BECOME ABANDONED.
35 U.S.C. 133**PART I THE FOLLOWING ATTACHMENT(S) ARE PART OF THIS ACTION:**

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| 1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Notice of References Cited, Form PTO-892. | 2. <input type="checkbox"/> Notice of Informal Patent Drawing, PTO-948. |
| 3. <input type="checkbox"/> Notice of Informal Patent Application, Form PTO-152 | 4. <input type="checkbox"/> |

PART II SUMMARY OF ACTION

1. ☒ Claims 1-22 are pending in the application.
Of the above, claims _____ are withdrawn from consideration.
2. ☐ Claims _____ have been cancelled.
3. ☐ Claims _____ are allowed.
4. ☒ Claims 1-22 are rejected.
5. ☐ Claims _____ are objected to.
6. ☐ Claims _____ are subject to restriction or election requirement.
7. ☐ The formal drawings filed on _____ are acceptable.
8. ☐ The drawing correction request filed on _____ has been ☐ approved.
☐ disapproved.
9. ☐ Acknowledgement is made of the claim for priority under 35 U.S.C. 119. The certified copy has
☐ been received. ☐ been filed in parent application:
☐ not been received. ☐ serial no. _____ filed on _____.
10. ☐ Since this application appears to be in condition for allowance except for formal matters, prosecution as to the merits is closed in accordance with the practice under Ex parte Quayle, 1935 C.D. 11; 453 OG. 213.
11. ☐ Other